HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 12-111

Introduced by Council Member Henson

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF HAYWARD AND EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT, FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SOUTH EAST BAY PLAIN BASIN GROUNDWATER DATA COLLECTION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, groundwater resources of the South East Bay Plain Groundwater Basin are an important potential source of water for the people, environment and economy of the East Bay, including areas with the jurisdiction of both the City of Hayward and the East Bay Municipal Utility District (EBMUD); and

WHEREAS, both the City of Hayward and EBMUD recognize the potential for improved groundwater management in the South East Bay Plain Groundwater Basin and are interested in mutually participating in project and programs that aid in the understanding of basin hydrogeology, basin water quality, and water level elevation; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hayward and EBMUD are interested in proceeding collaboratively to investigate the potential benefits of collecting and retaining groundwater data, thereby establishing baseline conditions and expanding knowledge of the basin; and

WHEREAS, a memorandum of agreement is needed to facilitate preparation of a Proposition 84 Local Groundwater Assistance Grant Application to the State of California Natural Resources Agency, Department of Water Resources for funding that shall be used to support the South East Bay Plain Basin Groundwater Data Collection Improvement Program.

NOW, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Hayward that the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute, on behalf of the City of Hayward, a Memorandum of Agreement with the East Bay Municipal Utility District for implementation of the South East Bay Plain Basin Groundwater Data Collection Improvement Program, in a form approved by the City Attorney.

IN COUNCIL, HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA June 26, 2012

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: Zermeño, Quirk, Halliday, Peixoto, Salinas, Henson

MAYOR: Sweeney

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBER: None

ATTEST: Ul main len

City Clerk of the City of Hayward

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney of the City of Hayward